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## HANSARD REPORT OF DR. CLARK'S SPEECH

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reference in wheat and not give it on wheat, would not say that the old country was showing favoritism to Canada, while doing nothing for Australia? Would that help build up the British Empire?

What would be the effect of giving a preference on wheat to Canada? You would raise the price of wheat in the outlying portions of the empire upon the British market, because you would raise the price of wheat in Britain. If it did not do that, it would be no good to Canada. You would raise the price in Britain, and you would raise the price of bread to the British workman. Well, if I were a British workman, how much do you think that would increase my love for Canadian preference? If I were a British workman, I would say that I would not give the first effort of it. If a better price was given for wheat in British or Canadian, it is clear that security result would be a concentration of supplies there, because they always go where the highest price is paid. You would also raise the price of food to the workman in Canada. It is an everyday crime that the price of wheat is made in Liverpool. Raise the price there and you inevitably raise it to the Canadian consumer. South Africa imports wheat. You would raise the price of wheat to the workman in South Africa. You give it in the world market. And gentlemen think they would sell a permanent empire by a system of preference which would raise the price of the commonest article of food in Britain, Canada, and South Africa. Now, these are some of the considerations which were discussed again and again in the old country, and it was largely considerations of this kind that led Mr. Asquith, at the beginning of these discussions, to declare to a crowded audience: "There is an economic impossibility. The idea has died, because there was no life in it and it has been killed, so to speak in successive general elections. A friend of mine was in conversation the other day with a nobleman having intimate associations with British politics, and he said to me: 'If Canada has offered a trade within the empire it would have been fruitless, because it would be impossible to shift the free trade, which

led to revolution. But the argument of my hon. friend is that Canadians are of such a type that they will not have such freedom and prosperity under the red white and blue that we will hold it down."

Mr. Macdonald from North Toronto (Mr. Finlay) asked the government how they dared to catch things. I should like to ask him how he dared to say in the Canadian parliament and with the knowledge that his words would be read by the Canadian people, that the Canadian people were of such a type that they would not have such freedom and prosperity under the red white and blue that we will hold it down."

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Annexation means the dismantling of these buildings. It means the building down of our flag. It means going to Washington to hold our parliamentary sittings. There is a man or a woman who believes in his heart of hearts that this is possible to come to pass in this country. Annexation means revolution and my little reading of history tells me that revolution has never taken place in this world except among a discontented people.

When Charles the first drove things to a certain point, there was a considerable revolution in Britain, ending in the killing off of the King's head. A few years afterwards, his brother had a discontented people and was driven from the throne. In the revolution of 1848, Mr. Macdonald said that he had a good deal to say about the question of the British Empire.

Annexation has been said about doing as well as we can and letting well enough alone. That was all right under the old Dominion. Policy but they did not even manage to do that because the people of Canada were shrinking. That is what happens a people let well enough alone. We all know that for a single organism, whether it be an individual or a nation, growth and progress are the only

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The increases in Assurances in force, in Cash Income, and in Assets, were never equalled by any Canadian Life Assurance Company in any year.

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The high standard of profits to policyholders has been maintained and its continuance is assured by the soundness and exceedingly profitable character of the investments.

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## THE RESULTS FOR 1910.

Assurances issued during 1910 and paid for in cash	\$23,512,377.81
Increase over 1909	2,403,104.65
Life Assurances in Force, 31st December, 1910	143,849,276.00
Increase over 1909	18,635,606.48
Cash Income from Premiums, Interest, Rents, Etc. (exclusive of \$75,000 received for increased capital and \$60,000 premium thereon)	5,578,453.94
Increase over 1909	1,737,321.89
Assets as at 31st December, 1910	\$8,164,730.37
Increase over 1909	\$5,859,798.50
Surplus distributed to policyholders entitled to participate on basis of British Offices' Select Annuity Table	210,850.28
Added to Surplus during 1910	643,903.01
Surplus earned in 1910	\$1,282,545.53
Total Surplus, 31st December, 1910, over all liabilities and capital, according to the Company's Standard, viz. for assurances, the 10m. Table, with 2 1/2 and 3 per cent. interest and for annuities the B.O. Select Annuity Table, with 3 1/2 per cent. interest	\$ 3,852,437.54
Surplus, Dominion Government Standard	5,319,921.18
Payments to Policyholders, Death Claims, Matured Endowments, Profits, Etc. during 1910	\$3,023,462.56
Payments to Policyholders since organization	26,266,630.01

These figures do not include the business of the Royal Victoria Life Insurance Co., an agreement to absorb which was concluded towards the end of the year.

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absolute necessities or continued extravagance and all progress implies change and change may bring, does bring temporary discomfort and inconvenience to sections, but if ever works out for the benefit and the prosperity and the wealth of the masses of the people. We heard this afternoon something about some one being sick and ashamed. I am perfectly certain that in a few years time my hon. friends opposite will be sick and ashamed of their attitude and their attitude in this discussion.

There can only be one result to this. The world now two nations can live in friendship together, on the more basis of equality of one of those nations which are almost as good as the other. If they had not received the friendship of Canada being in the foreground of the United States and made this arrangement on the high

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Have you entered the contest, and are you busy collecting? Send post card to Orange Meat, Kingston for circular giving details.

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A STEP NEARER  
SECURING GASCOMMISSIONER WILL OUTLINE  
BASIS OF AGREEMENT WITH  
COMPANY.

The second step looking to the securing of artificial gas for the city was taken yesterday afternoon when the representatives of the International Heating and Lighting Company, of Cleveland, Ohio, met the commissioners. The first step was negotiated when the industrial committee to whom the council referred the question instructed the commission to obtain the best terms which the company was prepared to offer and to secure the data necessary for an intelligent discussion of the matter.

The action taken by the commissioners yesterday afternoon was to refer the application of this company for a non-exclusive artificial gas franchise to Commissioner Hamilton for a report as to the proper method to be pursued to reach a basis for the negotiation of an agreement. This report will be prepared by the commissioner within the next few days and will be submitted to the industrial committee.

**No Municipal Plant.**  
"We want to get gas" said Commissioner Hamilton, "and we want it as soon as it is practicable to obtain it under fair and reasonable conditions. We want the assurance that the company which is applying for this franchise will be a bona fide investor in the city. I would not recommend that the city enter into this public utility as a municipal enterprise. I think it would be much more to the benefit of the city to make a reasonable and safe contract with a private corporation."

If, as an individual, were dealing with such a firm, he said to Mr. Hamilton, the representative of the company, "I would want to know how much money you would be willing to invest in the city as an enterprise of this character. I would also want to know the earliest date at which you

would undertake to deliver gas, and when an agreement had been negotiated on these three lines I would ask you to put up a sufficient sum of money to guarantee to carry out the agreement thus entered into. We could then go into the details of the terms of the franchise, taking into consideration such features as the right to purchase after a certain number of years, the price and quality of the gas to be supplied, and also the matter of extension of the service to districts where there was sufficient demand to warrant such extensions."

**Willing to Do Business.**  
Mr. Hamilton stated that he was prepared to do business with the city on the lines suggested by Commissioner Hamilton.

The commissioners decided to refer the matter to Mr. Hamilton to prepare a report outlining what the commissioners would consider the proper methods of reaching a basis for discussion of an agreement between the company and the city.

**Are Now Disappointed.**  
The commissioners received with some surprise a communication from the Farmers' Union, stating that there was among its members a feeling of disappointment with certain of the market regulations decided upon at a recent joint meeting of the farmers, the market committee of the council and the city commissioners.

"I am certainly surprised," said Mayor Armstrong, "why the men expressed themselves as perfectly satisfied with the arrangements we made," he exclaimed.

The communication stated that the farmers objected to compulsory weighing, even though no charge was made. At the previous meeting with the farmers it was decided that weighing of produce for sale should be compulsory; the charge being included in the fee of fifteen cents which admits the farmer to all the privileges of the market.

**Ask Further Privileges.**  
The farmers also thought that having paid the market fee and paid to sell their produce, they should be allowed to return on the following day and offer it for sale without further charge. The commissioners agreed that there would be no objection to granting this privilege provided

that the produce was left on the market, so that there could be no doubt that it was the same as that offered for sale on the previous day. They will, however, make no concession to the demand that the weighing should be made voluntary. The opinion was expressed that the weighing of coal on the city scales, whether sold on the market or not, should be made compulsory, and the advice of the auditor will be sought, to ascertain whether it will be possible for the city to make this requirement.

The license inspector asked for the appointment of an assistant, stating that the work of the department has been complicated by the passing of the dog bylaw. Commissioner Hamilton stated that the inspector had engaged some severe criticisms of the new bylaw, stating that it was "very" "excessively" complicated that they did not have before and that at the same time it seriously complicated the work of collecting the fees. The mayor stated that he had received a number of complaints against the bylaw from private individuals. The license inspector will be asked to submit a report.

A communication was received from the Trades and Labor Council asking whether it was within the power of the city to do anything to improve the wage conditions for laborers on the high level bridge. It was stated that while the present rate of wages for laborers on the city was 25 cents per hour laborers on the bridge were receiving only from 17-12 to 20 cents per hour. The demand of a laborer who desired that when applying for a job at the bridge he was informed by the person in authority that the number of men of wage was 17-12 cents, was noticed. While the commissioners were disposed to take the view that it would not be within the power of the city to interfere with the contractors, as there was no franchise clause in the agreement, they thought pressure might be brought to bear indirectly upon the company and the letter was referred to the council.

**Wage Not Sufficient.**  
"Seventy and one-half cents is certainly not sufficient for a man to live on," said the Mayor.  
"When a company then refuses to pay a living wage," said Commissioners of Hamilton, "they are practically asking the community in an indirect way to put up the balance of the man's wage."

The Duckworth House Engineering Co. received that of the five cars under way at the Works at the Ottawa Car Co. Ltd. are almost completely equipped and ready for their trip. Rapid progress is being made upon the cars.

The request of the International Harvester Co. for a warehouse building five stories high, was referred to the industrial committee.

The Edmonton Kennel Club will hold a meeting this (Monday) evening, March 14th, in the office of Mr. Edmundson at the Johnston Hotel, Second street, adjoining the Theatre Link.

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PEACE REIGNED IN THE  
SASKATCHEWAN HOUSE

Government did not Attempt to Move House into Committee of Supply and Appropriation. The House dropped their obstructive tactics.

Regina, March 13.—Comparative peace reigned in Saskatchewan's legislative hall today. The government did not attempt to move the House into committee of supply and the opposition, for its time being dropped their obstructive tactics, getting down to business for the first time in a long time. The House went into committee on the government's elaborate bill which, with some amendments, was put through the committee stage and now stands for a third reading.

By an amendment moved by George Langley and which carried by a large majority, on a majority vote, the new company which is to be known as the Saskatchewan Co-operative Electric Light and Power Co. Ltd. was authorized to raise \$1,000,000 in unlimited powers and will be able to deal not only in wheat but in almost everything under the sun from binder twine to a ship's anchor.

The scope of the company's operations if its powers are exercised, will indeed be enormous. It is understood that those who will be really responsible for the new company will be the same men who have been in the past so far as farmers are concerned of each commodity or coal, binder twine, lumber and agricultural machinery.

**THE ISLAY FARMERS' ENDORSE RHETORIC.**  
Islay, Alta., March 13th.—The Islay local of United Farmers of Alberta at a well attended and enthusiastic meeting, decided unanimously in favor of the reciprocity agreement.

## The Rilmouski Fire Insurance Co.

Thirty-Fourth Annual Statement, December 31st, 1910

Head Office, Rilmouski, Quebec

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President.N. BERNIER,  
Gen'l Manager.A. AUDET,  
Asst. Gen'l Manager.

Capital Authorized, - \$1,000,000.00  
Capital Subscribed, - \$ 150,000.00

Security Deposited with the Federal Government at Ottawa, \$35,000.00

## ASSETS.

Cash in banks	\$108,292.40
Debitures, bonds, stocks and other	140,675.39
Accrued interest	73,982.49
Company's Home Office Building	29,866.23
Deadly Plate etc.	31,844.57
Interest and Rents accrued	1,912.86
Balance between Insurance, losses due by Reinsuring, Companies and Withholding held by Company on account of said losses	4,482.53
Capital stock unissued	97,423.56
	\$467,012.53

## INCOME.

Profits for the year after deducting Re-insurance, rebates and cancellations	\$557,152.73
Interest and Rents paid and accrued	16,988.95
	\$574,141.68

## EXPENSES.

Losses paid and incurred during the year, including loss expenses, together with full provision for all adjusted and unadjusted losses as at December 31, 1910	\$257,829.21
Agents' Commissions 75%	72,586.25
Stationery, Directors' Fees and General Office Expenses	21,462.18
Actual surplus on year's operations	29,383.03
	\$381,270.67

## WESTERN DEPARTMENT

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J. K. BRODIE,

Joint Managers.

E. F. L. TAVENDER, General Agent, Calgary

HANSARD REPORT OF  
DR. CLARK'S SPEECH

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front of movements that are making for the real progress of the world. On all these grounds this is a splendid arrangement, and I have not the remotest doubt that, just as the extension of freedom of trade helped Canada in 1857, this will help us still.

more. It is a policy in keeping with the record of the right hon. gentleman who is at the head of the government of this country (Sir Wilfrid Laurier): it is a policy which makes for the prosperity of the country. It is a policy in accordance with the best traditions of that liberalism which has built and maintained the British Empire, that liberalism which seeks freedom, freedom to buy and sell, and in a few years' time, those who have opposed it will be ashamed of the thoughts they have entertained.

For kind that through ages, one increasing purpose runs  
That the thoughts of men are broadened with the process of the suns.

**"ALICE IN WONDERLAND."**  
All children from 6 to 16 wishing to take part in the sports "Alice in Wonderland," which is being given under the auspices of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society are requested to be at First Presbyterian Church, Thursday, March 16th at 4.15 p.m.

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